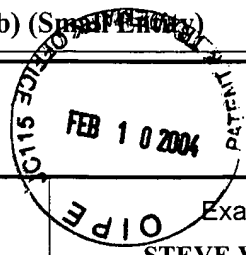


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**Petition For Revival Of An Application For Patent Abandoned  
Unintentionally Under 37 CFR 1.137(b) (Small Entity)**

Docket No.  
SWR-0046

In Re Application Of: **FRIEDHELM BIERWIRTH**



FEB 13 2004

Serial No.  
09/485,468

Filing Date  
FEB. 08, 2000

Examiner  
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3635

Invention: **EARTHQUAKE PROTECTION CONSISTING OF VIBRATION-ISOLATED MOUNTING OF  
BUILDING AND OBJECTS USING VIRTUAL PENDULUMS WITH LONG CYCLES**

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The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely and proper response to a notice or action by the Patent and Trademark Office. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the period set for reply in the Office notice or action plus any extension of time actually obtained.

**APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION**

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee--required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

1. ☒ A proposed reply to the above-identified Office Action:

☒ is enclosed. ☐ was filed on \_\_\_\_\_

The proposed reply is in the form of: Request for Continued Examination

2. ☐ The issue fee:

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3. ☒ A small entity declaration:

☐ is enclosed. ☒ was filed on MAY 12, 2000

4. ☒ The abandoned application was a:

☐ design application. ☒ utility application. ☐ plant application.

5. ☐ A terminal disclaimer (and fee) disclaiming a period equivalent to the period of abandonment is enclosed.

6. ☒ Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.

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8. ☐ Fee for amendment in the amount of: \_\_\_\_\_
9. ☐ Fee for extension of time to reply to Office Action in the amount of: \_\_\_\_\_
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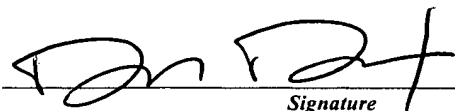
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Statement

The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.

  
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